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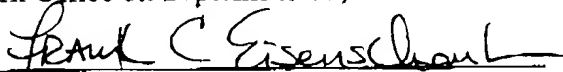
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Petition for One Month Extension of Time

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Sir:

A Petition and fee for a one-month Extension of Time through and including September 17, 2002, accompanies this Amendment.

In response to the Office Action dated May 17, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1-78 without prejudice.

Please add the following new claims:

79. (NEW) An isolated and purified polypeptide comprising a contiguous span of at least 6 amino acids shown as positions 1 to 1629 of SEQ ID NO:5.